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Test Report on Water Resistant Magnesia Insulation

## PABCO

### Changes in Personnel

*Dr. Raymond H. Lester* has been appointed Research Director of Pabco Products Inc. He will be in charge of all Pabco research, with activities centering largely in Pabco's laboratories in Emeryville, Calif.

Formerly with Armstrong Cork Co., Dr. Lester joined Pabco in June 1954.

*Woods Walker* is manager of floor covering research for Pabco and Forrest W. Price has been appointed manager of building and industrial materials research.

*F. A. Nordstrom* has been appointed manager of the Roofing Division of Pabco Products.

Mr. Nordstrom will be in direct charge of the Pabco Roofing plants in Portland, Oregon and Redwood City, Calif., and the plant now under construction in Wilmington, Calif. He will continue in a staff capacity in relation to roofing manufacturing at Pabco's main plant at Emeryville, Calif.

## UNARCO EXPANDS

Construction recently started on a modern one-story office building adjacent to the Union Asbestos & Rubber Company's Bloomington, Illinois, plant.

The new structure will house the Division's Sales Department, Specification and Quality Control Department, and Production Control and Scheduling Department, currently located in the company's main offices at 332 South Michigan Avenue, Chicago.



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- Feb. 1955—20 Squeal Text — Brake Warning Noises

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- Nov. 1955—18 Drop Tanks for Aircraft Moulded in Phenolic/Asbestos

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- April 1955—24 Story of Rhodesian Asbestos Limited
- Aug. 1955—12 Golden Age Mines Limited

<b>Handelsgesellschaft</b>  <b>Bremen, Germany</b>	<b>IMPEX</b>  <i>Special Importers of Raw Asbestos</i>	<b>Denselmann &amp; Michaelson</b>  <b>Lothringstr. 42</b>
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- Feb. 1955—38 Asbestos Aluminum Combined for  
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Aug. 1955— 2 Modern Testing Methods (Part III)  
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**United States**

- Nov. 1955— 8 U. S. Bureau of Mines Publishes  
Bulletin 552

**Various Asbestos Products**

- Feb. 1955—39 Asbestos and Aluminum Combined for  
Insulation Blankets  
Feb. 1955—24 "DUALAY" shingles  
June 1955—18 Asbestos Pipe Insulation Jacketing  
Aug. 1955—18 "Asbestolite" — coating

**Various Locations**

- July 1955— 2 Asbestos Production in Australia

**SOUTH AMERICA**

Tinaquillo, in Cojedes state, is the asbestos mining center of Venezuela. exploitation being done by private enterprises holding concessions. The companies have carried out mostly preparatory work, as may be judged from the low production figure of only 674 tons in 1954: estimates for the present year predict a monthly production of some 400 tons.

**U. S. RUBBER MOVES  
WASHINGTON OFFICE**

The Washington, D. C., office of United States Rubber Company has been moved from the Munsey Building to 1700 K Street, N. W., suites 1001 and 1002. The company's Washington staff and the assistant to the president occupy the office.

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